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SUBJ: ASSIGNMENT OF BURUNDI PERM REP MIKANAGU

BUJUMBURA 1081

1. PERM REP MIKANAGU TOLD MISOFF NOVEMBER 29 THAT RUMORS REPORTED REFTEL INDEED ARE CIRCULATING, TO EFFECT THAT MIKANAGU SHORTLY WILL BE NAMED BURUNDI'S AMBASSADOR TO BUCHAREST. MIKANAGU IS NOT AT ALL HAPPY OVER THE PROSPECT, INSISTING THAT THE PRESSURE ON HIM TO MOVE IS OCCASIONED ONLY BY THE GRB'S FEELING THAT HIS PROBABLE SUCCESSOR IN NEWYORK, SIMBANANIYE, COULD NOT RECEIVE AGREEMENT AS AN AMBASSADOR IN WESTERN EUROPE DUE TO HIS ADVERSE REPUTATION DURING PAST TUTSI-HUTU ATROCITIES. MIKANAGU WONDERED ALOUD WHETHER AMBASSADOR MARK COULD PUT IN A GOOD WORD FOR HIM WITH PRESIDENT BAGAZA IN AN EFFORT TO REMAIN HERE IN HIS POST.

2. MIKANAGU APOLOGIZED FOR BURUNDI'S AFFIRMATIVE VOTE ON THE GUAM RESOLUTION, AND PROMISED THAT BURUNDI WOULD BE ABSENT WHEN THE RESOLUTION IS VOTED ON IN PLENARY, PROBABLY LATER THIS WEEK.

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